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LETTER DATED 8 APRIL 1993 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I have the honour to present to you the attached letter, dated 8 April 1993, from my Minister of Foreign Affairs to Your Excellency.

May I ask for your kind assistance in circulating this letter as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Muhamed SACIRBEY
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

Annex

Letter dated 8 April 1993 from the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Bosnia and Herzegovina addressed to the President of the Security Council

The Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina requests that UNPROFOR supplement its mandate in Bosnia and Herzegovina. The current level of humanitarian assistance has proven largely ineffective, especially in Gorazde and Zepa. Because of continuing blockage by Serbian and Montenegrin forces, food, medicine and clothing are not reaching the suffering citizens of besieged cities in eastern Bosnia, and as a result, tens of these citizens are dying daily from starvation, disease and exposure.

The Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina requests that the UNPROFOR mandate be expanded to include Gorazde and Zepa (and to the extent that it needs to be done in Srebrenica) to better facilitate the effective and practical delivery of humanitarian relief.

(Signed) Haris SILAJDZIC
Minister of Foreign Affairs